

Forward Resuscitative Surgery System (FRSS)

DESCRIPTION

The FRSS is a new concept for Health Service Support that will bring a surgical capability forward into Echelon II and will either augment the Battalion Aid Station or the Shock Trauma Platoon. The FRSS consists of a shelter, limited medical equipment and supplies, selected personnel from the Surgical Company, and organic support from the FSSG to sustain a 72-hour mission or 18 patients without resupply.

PROCUREMENT PROFILE:	FY00	FY01
<i>Quantity:</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>

OPERATIONAL IMPACT

Where no surgical capability had previously been provided, the FRSS will treat critically injured Marines with abbreviated surgeries to stabilize patients so that they will survive evacuation to a higher Echelon of care.

PROGRAM STATUS

FRSS is in the Concept Development Phase and a Milestone I is expected in the 2nd QTR of FY00. Developmental testing is expected to begin in FY00.

DEVELOPER/MANUFACTURER
TBD

